
From: Waye, Don
To: Sweeney, Stephen
CC: Henning, Alan
Sent: 2/12/2015 10:25:45 AM
Subject: Attn Alan & Steve - [Oregon CZARA - Final (?) "Closing the Gaps" Document]

Steve,

I know we didn't get that specific in 1998. I doubt we got that specific in Dec. 2013 or in any other communication, either. I'm copying Alan to see if he knows. Lynda Hall has made it clear that I need to pull my attention away from Oregon for what's left of this week and tend to other priorities. That is an aspirational goal we hope will become my new normal.

Don

From: Sweeney, Stephen
Sent: Thursday, February 12, 2015 9:46 AM
To: Waye, Don
Subject: RE: Oregon CZARA - Final (?) "Closing the Gaps" Document

"And yes, Steve, the bit about "Develop a scientifically rigorous process for identifying high-risk areas and unstable slopes based on field review by trained staff" was taken straight from our decision doc"

Thanks for confirming that.

Was the decision document the first time we said the part about "field review by trained staff" or was that from the 1998 conditional approval or some intervening correspondence?

Thanks again,

Steve

From: Waye, Don
Sent: Wednesday, February 11, 2015 6:17 PM
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Subject: Oregon CZARA - Final (?) "Closing the Gaps" Document

All,

Attached in "track changes" glory and a (relatively) clean version (...since I felt the need to retain the substantive comments...) is my attempt to merge this 2nd round of edits/comments, including a fairly hefty set from first-time commenter Steve Sweeney. In my opinion, this is now ready to pass on to Christine, Joelle & Lynda. However, please take a look by noon PST/3 pm EST Thursday and see if you agree. It is also my opinion that our managers are likely to be very surprised at the extent of our edits. I think the best explanation for our managers is that the bulk of our edits work to bring this document in line with what we've already stated in our longer decision document. (And yes, Steve, the bit about "Develop a scientifically rigorous process for identifying high-risk areas and unstable slopes based on field review by trained staff" was taken straight from our decision doc.)

At this point, if there are any burning changes that folks feel must be made, please share with the group by noon/3 tomorrow. Also, I am passing the baton on to Jayne Carlin to put on any necessary finishing polish, as well as to distribute to the management team.

Thanks. It's been a distinct pleasure. J

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From: Henning, Alan

Sent: Tuesday, February 10, 2015 8:32 PM

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Subject: my comments on the merged "Gaps" document

Don,

Very well done in merging the documents. My comments are attached and highlighted in red. I do think we need to discuss concerns raised in the Herbicides section, but I'll save my thoughts for tomorrow. Again, thanks for the quick turnaround.

Alan